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Re: Docket Nos: AO-0370 - A7;F VOO-930-1

I and my Husband are Cherry Growers from Wisconsin, We believe Wisconsin should also be excluded from being regulated the same as Pennsylvania and Oregon. We also are small Growers. Most Growers will be put out of the business. The Cherry industry in Door and Brown County where all of the Cherries are grown plays a big part in supporting the Tourist Industry here in Door County. The Tourist Industry is our only employment left here in Door County, Wisconsin.

The 10,000,000 lbs. Grown in Wisconsin is no comparison to the 240,000,000 plus lbs. Grown in Michigan. It is only the favorable weather we have had for the last 3 years (mild winters) that our Production reached the 10,000,000 lbs. Many small growers have already gone out of business and sold their property for development.

Michigan has over planted and needs to deal with their problem of oversupply to the Market. Regulating Wisconsin, Pennsylvania and Oregon will not help the Market in any way.

Sincerly,

*Loetta Robertay*  
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